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Subject: Re: Consultation

Hi Jim. I want to clarify a statement in the email below. I should have clarified "all of the stormwater infrastructure within the reservation that is within the census-defined urbanized area is in the City of Green Bay and drains to the Green Bay MS4."

From: Bell, Brian
Sent: Friday, July 31, 2015 10:45 AM
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Hi Jim. It was great talking to you. Based on our call, we understand that all of the stormwater infrastructure within the reservation is in the City of Green Bay and drains to the Green Bay municipal storm sewer system. Given this situation, the Tribe could either apply for an exemption from the permit requirement or apply for permit coverage and potentially have Green Bay meet a number of the minimum control measures for the Tribe as allowed in Section 4.6 of the general permit. You stated the Tribe will apply for permit coverage. You also stated the tribe has an existing Sewer Service Agreement with Green Bay which is currently being re-negotiated and now is the opportunity to amend the agreement to include which minimum control measures each entity would be responsible for.

Therefore, I want confirm that the Tribe is in agreement with the general permitting approach taken by the Region and that we have concluded the consultation process. Please note that the Tribe still has the opportunity to provide comments when the draft general permit is placed on public notice, including the opportunity for a public hearing.

If you have further questions, please contact me.

I just wanted to confirm that the Oneida Tribe has agreed with the general permitting approach and that we have concluded consultation. As we stated during the call, there will be a formal public notice and comment period where the Tribe can submit comments on the permit.

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